

Delsea Drive & Hall Avenue Ground Water Contamination

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Franklin Township Gloucester County

BLOCK: Various **LOT:** Various

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SITE DESCRIPTION/RESOLUTION OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS:

Sampling conducted by the Gloucester County Health Department and NJDEP's Remedial Response Element between 1999 and 2002 identified 18 private potable wells in this area that were contaminated with mercury at levels exceeding the New Jersey Drinking Water Standard for this metal. The source of the contamination is unknown. Point-of-Entry Treatment (POET) systems were installed on the wells with funds provided by NJDEP as an interim measure to supply potable water for the residents. The Remedial Response Element is using the potable well sampling results to delineate the Currently Known Extent (CKE) of the potable well contamination and evaluate long-term water supply alternatives for the area. NJDEP expects to complete the CKE and water supply alternatives analysis in 2003.